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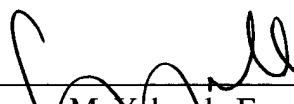
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Response to Restriction Requirement
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR1.136(a)
3. Return Postcard

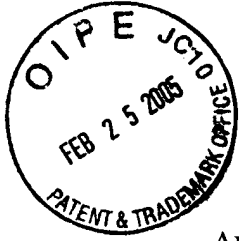
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No.502648, Reference No.Cura-550

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

This paper is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 30, 2004, 2004 in the above-referenced application. A six-month extension of time for filing this response is respectfully requested. Accordingly, the response is due February 28, 2005, and is hereby timely filed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due for the extension of time, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-2648.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.